LEGAL

PROGRAMS

 2004-05
 2005-06
 2006-07
 2007-08

 Actual
 Budget
 Adopted
 Projected

Legal Services

Provides legal advice to the Mayor, City Council, City Manager, Boards and Commissions and City Departments; represents the City and its officers in civil cases; prepares the legislative program for City Council; drafts and approves legal opinions, ordinances, resolutions, contracts and other legal documents.

Appropriation	933,644	1,063,780	1,149,582	1,185,088
Full Time Equivalent Positions	8	9	9	9

Departmental Goals & Objectives

- Ensure 75% of our local legislation directly impacting the organization is passed.
- Collect 50% of City property damage losses from third parties.
- Respond to 90% of requests for legal advice within five days.
- Train 150 employees on disciplinary action and retirement processes and issues.
- Draft 90% of legal documents including ordinances, resolutions, contracts and deeds within two weeks of request.
- Successfully settle or win 75% of lawsuits.

PERFORMANCE MEASURES

2	2004-05 Actual	2005-06 Budget	2006-07 Projected	2007-08 Projected
WORKLOAD MEASURE				
 Number of employees trained in disciplinary action 	n 2 <i>00</i>	50	150	200
EFFICIENCY MEASURES				
 % of requests responded to within five days 	90%	90%	90%	90%
 % of legal documents completed within 2 weeks 	90%	90%	90%	90%
EFFECTIVENESS MEASURES				
% of lawsuits disposed or settled	75%	75%	75%	75%
 % of property damage losses collected 	50%	50%	<i>50%</i>	50%
% of local legislation passed	85%	100%	75 %	100%



BUDGETSUMMARY

	2004-05 Actual	2005-06 Budget	2006-07 Adopted	2007-08 Projected
Expenditures:				
Personnel Costs	765,030	867,360	946,822	978,273
Maintenance & Operations	168,614	196,420	202,760	206,815
Capital Outlay	0	0	0	0
Total	933,644	1,063,780	1,149,582	1,185,088
Total FTE Positions	8	9	9	9
Revenues:				
All Other	2,499	0	0	0
General Fund Contribution	931,145	1,063,780	1,149,582	1,185,088
Total	933,644	1,063,780	1,149,582	1,185,088

BUDGET HIGHLIGHTS

• FY 06-07 Budget has increased by \$85,802, or 8.1%. This increase is mainly due to increased benefits costs for worker's compensation and health insurance.